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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>  <i>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</i>	Attorney Docket No. 000166.0073-US02	
	First Inventor J. Michael Ramstack	
	Title	PREPARATION OF INJECTABLE SUSPENSIONS HAVING IMPROVED INJECTABILITY
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 Prior application information: Examiner Rachel M. Bennett Art Unit: 1615

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004 <small>Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.</small>		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	Divisional of 10/259,949
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		First Named Inventor	J. Michael Ramstack
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Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced  
Patent Application:

1. Fee Transmittal;
2. Utility Patent Application Transmittal;
3. Application Data Sheet;
4. Utility application: 29 pages of description; five pages of claims (28 claims);  
and a one page abstract;
5. Copy of the Supplemental Declaration for Utility Patent Application filed in  
prior application no. 10/259,949;
6. Copy of the Power of Attorney from Assignee filed in prior application no.  
10/259,949;

7. Copy of the Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) filed in prior application no. 10/259,949;
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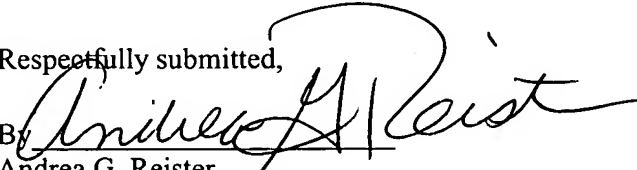
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It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

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